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(SBU) The Dutch are committed to completing their current NATO Training Mission - Iraq (NTM-I) involvement. Pol-Mil Officer delivered reftel points on September 10 to the Iraq Policy Advisor at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. In June 2008, the Dutch Council of Ministers extended the Dutch commitment to NTM-I to August 2009. The Dutch continue to support a "proportional" contribution to NTM-I. The Dutch have not proposed any follow-on mission. Culbertson